

Early Phoenician Script	East-Syriac Script	East-Syriac Reading	Transliteration Value	Numerical Value
𐤁	ܒ	ʼālap	ʼ	1
𐤁	ܒ	bēt	b	2
𐤂	ܓ	gāmal	g	3
𐤁	ܕ	dālat/ <u>d</u>	d	4
𐤁	ܗ	hē	h	5
𐤁	ܘ	wāw	w	6
𐤁	,	zay(n)	z	7
𐤁	ܗ	hēt	h	8
⊕	ܛ	ṭēt	ṭ	9
𐤁	ܝ	yō/ūd	y	10
𐤁	ܟ ܗ ܒ	kāp	k	20
𐤁	ܠ	lāmad	l	30
𐤁	܊ ܊ ܊	mīm	m	40
߁	܊ ܊ ܊	nūn	n	50
߁	܊	semkat	s	60
߁	܊	ʼē	ʼ	70
߁	܊	pē	p	80
߁	܊	șādē	ș	90
߁	܊	qōp	q	100
߁	܊	rēš	r	200
߁	܊	šīn	š	300
߁	܊	taw	t	400

**Author:** Ashur Cherry  
York University  
**Title:** *Early Phoenician Script*  
*(13th Century B.C.E. – 3rd C.E.)*  
*with the Corresponding East-Syriac Script 26*  
**Publisher:** Toronto, Ontario  
**Copyright:** 2007  
**Ref. No.:** 1333

### **References**

Daniels, Peter T. and William Bright. (Editors) **The World's Writing Systems**.  
New York: Oxford University Press, ©1996. p. 262.

Diringer, David. **The Alphabet: A Key to the History of Mankind**. Third Edition.  
Volume 2. London: Hutchinson, ©1968. p. 160.

Healey, John F. "Phoenician, Hebrew and Aramaic scripts." **The Early Alphabet**.  
Berkeley: University of California Press, ©1990. p. 29.

Hetzron, Robert. (Editor) **The Semitic Languages**. New York: Routledge, ©1997.  
pp. 28, 35.

Rogers, Henry. **Writing Systems: A Linguistic Approach**. Malden, MA: Blackwell  
Publishing, ©2005. p. 208.

### **Dedication**

I dedicate all my work published in 2007 to His Holiness Mar Dinkha IV,  
Catholicos-Patriarch of **The Assyrian Church of the East**, with love and respect.